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MEMORANDUM FOR THE TCO/CIA

SUBJECT: Request for Billet

It is requested that the position of Chief, Near East and Africa Branch, Special Projects Staff be approved for clearance in the TALENT system. This clearance is required in order to facilitate the proper substantive and security handling of TALENT materials for The Director of Intelligence and Research, for this office and for the Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs.

The incumbent of this position is James R. Gardner.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE AND RESEARCH:

POSITION APPROVAL:

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10 JAN 1959

CIA TALENT Control Officer

T. Achilles Polyzoides  
TALENT Control Officer  
Department of State

*All TSO concurred by phone*  
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STATE review(s) completed.